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September 30, 2004

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William A. Bonnet Vice President - Government and Community Affairs Hawaiian Electric Company, Inc. P.O. Box 2750 Honolulu, Hawaii 96840-0001

Re: Docket No. 03-0372 - In the Matter of PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION Instituting a Proceeding to Investigate Competitive Bidding for New Generating Capacity in Hawaii.

Dear Mr. Bonnet:

On September 15, 2004, pursuant to Prehearing Order No. 20923, filed on April 23, 2004, the Commission issued its Notice of Status Conference to be held on September 30, 2004 at 2:00 p.m. at the Public Utilities Commission Hearing Room.

By letter dated and filed on September 29, 2004, HECO requests that that the status conference be cancelled. We will treat your September 29, 2004 request as a motion ("Motion"), pursuant to HAR § 6-61-41.1 HECO represents that the Parties in Docket No. 03-0372 do not object to the Motion.

¹Pursuant to HAR § 6-61-41(e), motions that do not involve the final determination of a proceeding may be determined by the chairperson or a commissioner.

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Upon review of HECO's Motion and its representations, we hereby grant HECO's Motion. Should you have any questions, please contact Kevin Katsura, Legal Counsel, at 586-2019.

Sincerely,

Carlito P. Caliboso

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